

Inkboard Senior Project

March 8, 2005

Meeting Log

Purpose: Assemble Binaries, Identify Issues

Time: March 8th, 2005 8th hour

Location: Sun Lab

Secretary: Brandi Soggs

Timekeeper: Jonas

Present: Brandi, Jonas, Steven

Jason is at a conference this week. He will be returning on Monday.

Steve has a job in Iowa with Rockwell-Collins

Jonas wants to work in Europe

Binaries

- Sourceforge has a "CompileFarm" package for making thes
- Inkscape's binaries are in a package
- We can only really distribute for Solaris
- Shall we link to a package of just source code?
 - o Perhaps not, build problems
- Talk to Mike Tyson
- We need to include a list of our known bugs with this release so that we don't get redundant error reports
- Need to make a list where users can submit bugs (rather than emailing us)
- Need to include a copy of the GPL in the release

Other Issues

- Can only make limited shapes: rectangles, lines. Why?
 - o Tracing through where failures occurred by Jason, Jonas revealed breaking around a certain xml attribute (forget now). Each consistently got a different attribute.
 - o Perhaps it's part of the Inkscape code; we are making an invalid assumption somewhere
- Memory leakage
 - o Look into this more in a couple of weeks, we're focusing on making other issues work
- Chatroom stuff.
 - o Implement this after we have the other objects working
- Initial document sending
 - o Mostly done, just some tweaking. Should hopefully be done this week.
 - o Brandi will work on this
 - o Document resends will also be looked at
- Error recovery

- Very sketchy right now, more is needed
- Need to keep track of an active roster of buddy lists for the user
- Do not crash the user when the person they are connected to drops
- Don't have all the status report windows implemented yet
- Queue resending
 - Will never send a document without a queue.
 - Need to keep the queues up to date and sending well.

Meeting times

- 8th hour meeting will never go on to 9th (Steven has a class)
- We expect to have the 8th hour meeting just “get-togethers”, not working meetings. Those weren't that useful last quarter, since they weren't needed half the time and needed to be longer the other half
- Hoping Salman can make 8th M or R, but he isn't available for response right now

Tasks Assigned:

- Initial Document Sending (Brandi)
- Binary stuff (Steven)
- Error Recovery: not crash when a connected user drops, proper changing of states from shared/not shared and such, more issues as needed (Jonas)

Next Meeting:

- Monday, 8th